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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following documents for filing in the above-identified application:

1. Amendment in Response to the May 17, 2005 Office Action (17 pages);
2. 3-Month Extension of Time; and
2. Return Receipt Postcard.

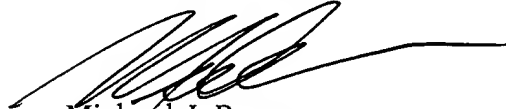
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